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## KENYON LOSES COVETED PLACE ON COMMITTEE

Republicans Turn Him Down  
Because He Favors Prohibition of Munitions of War to Belligerents.

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE) Washington, Dec. 11.—Senator Kenyon, Republican of Iowa, was defeated today by the Republicans on the committee to investigate the relations between the United States and Germany. The committee was organized to investigate the relations between the United States and Germany, and to report on the same to the Senate. Kenyon was one of the few Republicans who had been elected to the committee, but he was defeated by the Democrats, who were in the majority. The committee will be organized tomorrow.

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## DENIES GERMANY TRIED TO FOMENT WAR IN MEXICO

Hugo Hahn, Manager of Berlin Banking Interests, Tells of Unpleasant Financial Deal for Huerta.

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE) Mexico City, Dec. 7 (by Mail to London, Dec. 11).—Stories of a German participation in the internal affairs of Mexico in an attempt to foment further revolution and embroil the United States and Mexico, with the object of stopping the shipments of munitions of war to the allies, have just reached here through the United States newspapers and have created excited the German colony.

Hahn, general manager of the Mexican branch of the German-South American Bank of Berlin, has figured more or less dramatically in these stories in that he was instrumental in transferring \$15,000,000 gold to Valparaiso, Chile, during the Huerta regime. This money was to be used in buying 10,000,000 cartridges for use of the Mexican army. The money was actually transferred and, according to documents in the bank, the cartridges were purchased, but interference of American Ambassador Fletcher prevented their shipment.

Hahn Offers Explanation.  
Mr. Hahn, explaining his participation in the affair in the following manner: "During the Huerta regime I received a check from Minister de la Fianza, then head of the treasury department, requesting me to transfer \$15,000,000 to Valparaiso for the National Bank of Mexico, as that institution had no correspondent there. This was done. Later I was authorized to make the transfer of our Valparaiso branch to pay the money to the order of Adolf Marx, a German citizen who was acting as an agent for Huerta. This, also, was done.

Sale Felt Through.  
"Mr. Marx, through the firm of Verwerf & Co., of Valparaiso, negotiated the purchase of 27,000,000 cartridges from the Chilean government, the agreed price being \$650,000. Later our Chilean correspondent called us for authority to pay the balance of that original sum, sent \$150,000 to Marx. This we refused to do, although we had the authorization of the then Mexican government. This caused the deal to fall through and in accordance with a clause in the contract of sale, the original \$150,000 was returned to our bank in Valparaiso.

United States Minister Interfered.  
"To straighten out this matter it was necessary for me to send a representative to Valparaiso, who, upon his return to the United States, set forth the whole matter to our ambassador there. He, in turn, gave the facts to the state department at Washington. My representative informed me in his written report that the Chilean government denied ever having sold ammunition, refusing delivery until such a time as Mexico was at peace. He also informed me that the American ambassador at the Chilean capital became active in the matter as soon as he learned of the proposed sale. Although the matter is now in the courts at Santiago, we will undoubtedly be able to return all of the money originally transferred by us.

Expatriation Experiences.  
"This was a plain business deal and far from trying to foment revolution, as have been everything in our power to see that the Carranza government gets the money involved."

Hahn had many unpleasant experiences over this money. During the regime of General Zapata, his soldiers went to Hahn's home and demanded \$20,000 at the point of a rifle. Hahn delivered the money in the form of New York drafts payable on the order of the secretary of the treasury of the Mexican republic. The incident nearly cost him his life.

Wintry Blast Hits Chicago and Northwest  
(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE) Chicago, Dec. 11.—Snow, sleet and high winds swept this section today, causing delayed traffic, great loss to property and in this city a number of personal injuries.

The storm had its origin in the eastern slope of the Rockies on Thursday and yesterday had advanced in a widening circle until it had reached from Arkansas to the northern tier of states.

The storm here came in quickly in the morning and lasted all day. Passengers from the west arrived several hours behind their schedules. Telegraphic communication was interrupted and in some instances cut off entirely.

BLANKET OF SNOW WELCOMED IN IOWA  
Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 11.—Snowfall, the first of any consequence in Iowa this winter, was generally over the state last night and this morning. From one inch in the extreme northwestern part of the state to half an inch in the southern half was reported. The fall was welcomed by farmers who say the soil needs moisture badly.

STORM STOPS RAILROAD TRAFFIC IN ST. LOUIS  
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 11.—A sleet and rain storm hit St. Louis today seriously interrupting telegraphic communication. Wires along the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railroad, between St. Louis and Mattoon, Ill., and on the Chicago and Alton and the Wabash north, were out of commission.

A drizzling rain fell in St. Louis today but the storm had cleared here to night.

Wabash Receivership Ends.  
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 11.—Chester P. Kramer, special master in the Wabash receivership case, today submitted his report to Elmer B. Adams, United States circuit judge, and was discharged as master. The Wabash railroad now is out of the hands of the receiver.

## HOLLAND NOT IN SYMPATHY WITH THE FORD PLANS

Neither Encouragement Nor Recognition of Any Sort to Be Extended; May Be Asked to "Move On."

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE) The Hague (via London, Dec. 11, 1915 p. m.)—Neither encouragement, recognition nor support in any shape or form will be offered to the Ford peace party by The Netherlands government, according to information from official sources given to a correspondent of the Associated Press. Government officials, it was indicated, naturally noted the party's departure and also received a notification thereof from the leader, but no reply was forwarded. No opposition, however, will be placed in the way of the party's landing in Holland, but should the activities of its members become embarrassing while here they will in all probability be requested to transfer their headquarters to other than Dutch territory. Private pacifists, of whom there are many in this country, probably will welcome the Ford party as an addition to their ranks.

The impression prevails that the general public and the press are inclined to regard the Ford party without the slightest interest as the opinion is widely prevalent here that peace will not be achieved by the efforts of pacifists, but as a result of hard fought battles in which one antagonism succeeds another.

FORMER PREMIER IN SARCASTIC MOOD

Edinburgh, Dec. 11 (9 p. m.)—"In this month there is coming over a vessel freight with peace," said the Earl of Rosebery, the former prime minister, in a speech here tonight. "It is preceded apparently by a gentleman named Ford, who makes, I think, perambulations. He is coming over to pour oil on troubled waters at the inspiration of a Dr. Ailed of whom we know something here, and by voice more potent than of any mortal heard in this world is going to tell the soldiers from the trenches and bid the waves be still."

"The expedition will fail, but that the mighty passengers receiving free passes may enjoy themselves and do no mischief, is our earnest solicitation."

FORD WIVES FOR HOTEL ROOM FOR 168 PERSONS

Christiana, Dec. 12 (via London, 1:45 a. m.)—A wireless message received from the Ford peace party on board the steamer Oscar II, requests that hotel accommodations for 168 persons be arranged. A private Norwegian traveling bureau will undertake to find accommodations for the party. Neither the American minister, Albert G. Schneiderman, or Consul General E. Halldeman Dennison, has heard anything from the party and will only receive Henry Ford as a private citizen.

The Oscar II is due here on December 14. The Ford party will receive a friendly welcome from the press and the public, but nobody seems inclined to support Mr. Ford's peace proposals. At a meeting of the students' society, whose planks are open to any sound-minded person who has anything to say on questions of public interest, Mr. Ford will be given an opportunity to lay his plans before the public.

FORD PARTY AMUSES PEOPLE OF SWEDEN

Stockholm (via London, Dec. 12, 12:58 a. m.)—Henry Ford's peace mission is received by the Swedish press as a novelty, which will have no chance to intervene in the cause of peace. No acknowledgment of the mission is expected, but will be made by the Swedish authorities and the American legation has taken no notice of it.

BIG AUTO PARADE IN MOUNTAIN PARK TODAY

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE) Denver, Colo., Dec. 11.—A 75-mile automobile parade through Denver's mountain park is planned tomorrow to opening of the city's Mountain Boulevard, constructed at a cost of more than \$250,000. Officials of Denver and civic organizations and the public generally are to participate. Denver's mountain park consists of more than 2,000 acres lying in the mountains fifteen to thirty miles from the western limits of the city. It is said to be the only instance in which a municipality has gone far beyond its borders to acquire real estate for park purposes and authority to construct the roadway was secured by special act of the state legislature.

The new boulevard system extends west from Denver through Golden and ascends by serpentine rise. Lookout towers, observation points, and the first snow-capped range of the Rockies. At the highest point the driveway is approximately 3,000 feet above Denver. It then descends sharply into Bear Creek canyon, follows that mountain stream many miles, emerges from the foothills at Morrison and thence to Denver.

The roadway with a minimum width of twenty feet was built at an average cost of \$5,000 a mile. For short distances where it was blasted out of solid rock, city officials place the cost of construction at \$20,000 a mile.

SUCCEEDS BURTON AS PEACE SOCIETY HEAD

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE) Washington, Dec. 11.—Directors of the American Peace society, meeting here today, elected Dr. George W. Kirtland, of Columbia university, president of the society to succeed former Senator Theodore E. Burton, of Ohio. Mr. Burton resigned because of inability to devote sufficient time to the society's work.

Alleged Murderer Identified.  
Brownsville, Tex., Dec. 11.—Stanley Dodd, of San Benito, today identified Benito Caballero, a Mexican in the county jail, as the man who killed Earl Donaldson and J. T. Smith during the bandit raids near here recently. Dodd was with the party, but escaped harm when one of the Mexicans whom he had befriended said Dodd was a German. Caballero was held without bond.

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## M'COMBS MAKES FORMAL CALL FOR CONVENTION

Democrats Are to Meet in St. Louis, June 14, 1916, to Nominate Candidates and Adopt National Platform.

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE) New York, Dec. 11.—William F. McCombs, chairman of the democratic national committee, issued a formal call today for the democratic national convention in St. Louis, June 14, 1916.

The statement calls attention to the plank in the party platform directing that in each state where it is not provided by law "all expressions of preference for presidential candidates shall be given and the selection of delegates and alternates made through primary elections conducted by the party organization in each state."

Two delegates and two alternates for every senator and two delegates and two alternates for every representative in congress from each state based on the congressional apportionment of the sixty-fourth congress, and six delegates and six alternates each from the District of Columbia, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines are to be chosen.

Mr. McCombs left tonight for St. Louis to make preliminary arrangements for the convention.

ALLOWED BATTERY TO BE PHOTOGRAPHED

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEADER WIRE) Newport News, Va., Dec. 11.—A private named Anderson is under arrest at Fort Monroe. It became known tonight, charged with allowing a detective employed by the federal government to photograph a battery and accepting a bribe for the privilege. The government is said to have been detailed on the case after reports had reached officers that Anderson had been accepting money from visitors in return for permission to make photographs of the fortifications.

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